



PATENT APPLICATION
Attorney Docket: 678-231 (P8635)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Byung-Seok RYU

Examiner: D. Knepper

Serial No.: 09/263,440

Group: Art Unit 2654

Filed: March 5, 1999

For: **APPARATUS FOR SYNTHESIZING SPEECH SOUNDS OF A SHORT MESSAGE IN A HANDS FREE KIT FOR A MOBILE PHONE**

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL FORM

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☒ No additional fee is required.

| For | Claims Remaining After Amendment | Highest No. Previously Paid For | Present Extra | Rate (Small Entity) | Addit. Fee | Rate | Addit. Fee |
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| TOTAL CLAIMS* | 9 | 20 | 0 | x 9 = | \$0 | x 18 = | \$0 |
| INDEPENDENT CLAIMS | 3 | 3 | 0 | x 43 = | \$0 | x 86 = | \$0 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim | | | | 145 | | 290 | \$0 |

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- ☒ Please charge any deficiency as well as any other fee(s) which may become due under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and/or 1.17 at any time during the pendency of this application, or credit any overpayment of such fee(s) to Deposit Account No. 04-1121. Also, in the event any extensions of time for responding are required for the pending application(s), please treat this paper as a petition to extend the time as required and charge Deposit Account No. 04-1121 therefor. A DUPLICATE OF THIS SHEET IS ENCLOSED.

Respectfully submitted,



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RESPONSE

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of the United States Patent and Trademark Office dated March 11, 2004, please consider the following remarks.

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